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PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Richard Walcome Filing Date: January 14, 2004
Title: **LATCHING DOOR STOP
FOR A MARINE VESSEL** Art Unit: 3676
Serial No.: 10/757,804 Examiner: M. S. Williams
Docket No.: WAL106
Date: July 14, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of one month to respond to the Office Action for the above referenced patent application dated March 14, 2005.

2. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)---(d)):
one month requested, the fee being \$60 for a small entity. If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

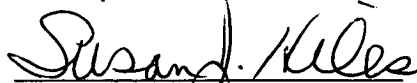
3. Extended period for response.

Based on the extension requested in this petition, the extended period for response will expire on **July 14, 2005**.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION

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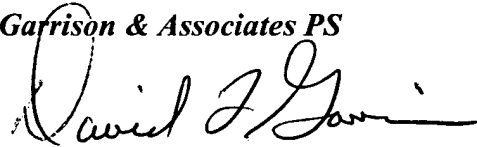
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4. Fee Payment.

Attached is Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the fee of **\$60.00** to be charged to Visa. Please charge any deficit or credit any excess fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0684.

Respectfully submitted,

Garrison & Associates PS

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David L. Garrison". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "David" being the most prominent.

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